

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Servants – Irrigation & C.A.D. Department – Allegations of corruption against Sri P. Seshagiri Rao, Executive Engineer (Retd.), formerly worked in the Office of O & M Division, Nagarjuna Sagar Project, Addanki, Prakasam district – Caught red-handed by Anti-Corruption Bureau Officials on 17.06.1998 – Accused Officer acquitted by the judgement dated 19.02.2004 of Hon'ble Court of the Special Judge for SPE & ACB Cases, Nellore in C.C.No.1/1999 – Criminal Appeal No.1582 of 2004 filed before the Hon'ble High Court of A.P. against the acquittal order – Criminal Appeal dismissed by the Hon'ble High Court of A.P. – Further action dropped –Orders issued - Regularization of suspension period from 17.07.1998 A.N. to 31.01.1999 A.N., as 'on Duty' under Rule 54 –B (3) & (4) of Fundamental Rules – Orders – Issued.

IRRIGATION & C.A.D. (IW:SERVICES-VI(1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 1213 .

Dated: 03.11.2012.

Read the following:-

- 1) G.O.Ms.No.154, Irrigation & C.A.D. (Ser.VI-1) Department, dated 13.07.1998.
- 2) G.O.Rt.No.203, Irrigation & CAD (Ser.VI(1) Department, dated 23.02.2012.
- 3) From Sri P.Seshagiri Rao, Executive Engineer (Retd.) representation dated 24.07.2012.
- 4) From the Engineer-in-Chief (AW), Irrigation & CAD Department, Hyderabad, Letter No.Rc/ENC/S1(3)/22667/98, dated 17.09.2012.

ORDER:-

It has been brought to the notice of the Government that Sri P. Seshagiri Rao, Executive Engineer, O & M Division, Nagarjuna Sagar Project, Addanki, Prakasam district was trapped by the Anti Corruption Bureau authorities on 17.06.1998, as he demanded and accepted the bribe amount from the complainant. Therefore, in the G.O. 1st read above, orders were issued, placing the accused officer Sri. P. Seshagiri Rao, Executive Engineer under suspension in public interest with immediate effect under sub-rule (1) (c) of rule 8 of A.P.Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991. The said orders were served to Sri P.Seshagiri Rao, Executive Engineer and he was placed under suspension with effect from 17.07.1998 A.N., and he was under suspension till his retirement i.e., upto 31.01.1999 A.N.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, orders were issued, dropping further action against Sri P.Seshagiri Rao, formerly Executive Engineer, O & M Division, N.S. Project, Addanki, Prakasam district and now retired, as he was acquitted by the judgement dated 19.02.2004 in C.C.No.1/1999 of Hon'ble Court of the Spl. Judge for SPE & ACB case, Nellore and also confirmed by the Hon'ble High Court of A.P. judgement dated 27.06.2011 in Criminal Appeal No.1582 of 2004.

3. In the reference 3rd read above, Sri P.Seshagiri Rao, Executive Engineer (Retd.) has requested to cancel the suspension orders issued against him.

4. On communication, the Engineer-in-Chief (A.W.), Irrigation & C.A.D. Department, Hyderabad has stated among other things and requested to regularize the suspension period of Sri P.Seshagiri Rao, Executive Engineer (Retd.) from 17.07.1998 A.N. to 31.01.1999 A.N., vide reference 4th read above.

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5. Government after careful examination of the matter, it has been decided to regularize the suspension period from 17.07.1998 A.N. to 31.01.1999 A.N. of Sri P.Seshagiri Rao, Executive Engineer (Retd.), formerly worked in the Office of O & M Division, Nagarjuna Sagar Project, Addanki, Prakasam district, as "on Duty" under Rule 54-B (3) & (4) of Fundamental Rules. Accordingly, Government hereby order to regularize the suspension period from 17.07.1998 A.N. to 31.01.1999 A.N. of Sri P.Seshagiri Rao, Executive Engineer (Retd.), formerly worked in the Office of O & M Division, Nagarjuna Sagar Project, Addanki, Prakasam district, as "on Duty" under Rule 54-B (3) & (4) of Fundamental Rules.

6. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (FR.II) Department vide their U.O.No. 766/27729/FR.II/2012, dated 26.10.2012.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

SHAILENDRA KUMAR JOSHI
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri. P. Seshagiri Rao, Executive Engineer (Retd.), formerly worked in the Office of O & M Division, Nagarjuna Sagar Project, Addanki, Prakasam district through the Engineer-in-Chief (A.W.), Irrigation and C.A.D. Department, Hyderabad.

The Engineer-in-Chief (A.W.), Irrigation & CAD Dept., Hyderabad.

Copy to:The Finance (FR.II) Department.

The Accountant General (A & E), A.P., Hyderabad.

The Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad.

The Secretary to V.C., A.P. Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad.

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// FORWARDED :: BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER